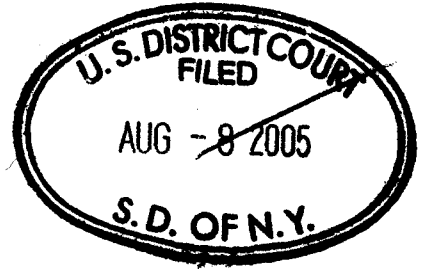


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**ORDER GRANTING MOTION
FOR ADMISSION *PRO HAC VICE***

Upon the motion of Peter C. Neger, Defense Liaison Counsel, dated August 4, 2005, for admission *pro hac vice* of an attorney in this Multidistrict Litigation, and for good cause shown, it is hereby

ORDERED, that Thomas G. Williams is admitted to this Court *pro hac vice*.

Dated: August 5, 2005


Jed S. Rakoff, United States District Judge

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